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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 1714

PATENT 2185-0514P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tatsuo TATENO et al. Conf.: 5720

Appl. No.: 09/783,031 Group: 1714

Filed: February 15, 2001 Examiner: Tommer

For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING FATTY ACID ESTERS
AND FUELS COMPRISING FATTY ACID ESTER

LARGE ENTITY TRANSMITTAL FORM FOR REPLY AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 1, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.116 in the above-identified application.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

October 1, 2003

Wednesday

Alexandria, Va. 22313

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 2, 2003, the period for response to which having been extended up to and including October 2, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the aboveidentified application.